0655BP) and *Escherichia coli* BL21(DE3)/LK7 (KCTC 0656BP) which were deposited with the Korean Collection for Type Cultures on Sept. 3, 1999. Applicants hereby declare that subject to paragraph (b) of 37 CFR 1.808, all restrictions imposed by the depositor on the availability to the public of the deposited material will be irrevocably removed upon the granting of the patent.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1853 during the pendency of prosecution of this application. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed for the Deposit Account, should it be needed.

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In the Specification

At page 1, line 3, add the following:

-- CROSS REFERENCE TO OTHER APPLICATIONS

The present application is filed under 35 U.S.C. 371, and is the U.S. national phase application of PCT/KR99/00554, filed on September 15, 1999. --

In the Claims

Please amend claims 1-8 as follows:

1. (Amended) LK6 protein [(SEQ ID NO: 4) consisting of] comprising amino acid sequences of human apolipoprotein(a) kringle domains IV36.

2. (Amended) LK7 protein [(SEQ ID NO: 6) consisting of] comprising amino acid sequences of human apolipoprotein(a) kringle domains IV37.

3. (Amended) LK8 protein [(SEQ ID NO: 8) consisting of] comprising amino acid sequences of human apolipoprotein(a) kringle domains V38.

4. (Amended) LK68 protein [(SEQ ID NO: 2) consisting of] comprising amino acid sequences of human apolipoprotein(a) kringle domains IV36, IV37 and V38 in a serial manner

5. (Amended) A cDNA sequence [(SEQ ID NO: 3)] which codes for the LK6 protein of claim 1.

6. (Amended) A cDNA sequence [(SEQ ID NO: 5)] which codes for the LK7 protein of claim 2.

7. (Amended) A cDNA sequence [(SEQ ID NO: 7)] which codes for the LK8 protein of claim 3.

8. (Amended) A cDNA sequence [(SEQ ID NO: 1)] which codes for the LK68 protein of claim 4.